

REMARKS

Claims 1 to 7, 11 to 15, 19 and 22-27 are pending in this re-issue application. All of these have been allowed. Claims 9 and 10 were rejected. By this amendment, Claims 9 and 10 have been canceled.

At the bottom of page 2 of the Final Action, the Examiner indicates that: Applicant is required to comply with the sequence rules by inserting the sequence identification numbers of all of the sequences recited within the claims and/or specification. It is particularly noted that applicants do not provide specific SEQ ID NO to the sequences depicted in the drawings either on the drawings or in the figure description.

Applicants hereby submit Revised Drawings (Figures). The Figures have been amended as suggested by the Examiner. In particular, "SEQ ID NO: 10:" has been inserted at the end of FIG. 1B and "SEQ ID NO: 11" has been inserted at the end of FIG. 2B. Support for these amendments is found in several places in the specification. In particular, applicants direct the Examiner's attention to column 3 of the patent specification, at approximately lines 28 to 34, which provides a cross reference between the figures and the sequence ID's..

In reviewing the Figures, applicants also noted that in FIG. 1A, the number "90" appears under the 89th amino acid (rather than the 90th). This has also been corrected. Applicants respectfully aver that the figures are the same as the previous figures in all other respects.

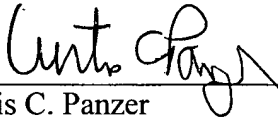
Annotated sheets showing changes are included at the end of this Amendment After Final Rejection. Proposed Formal Drawings are being submitted in a separate paper which paper cross references this Amendment After Final Rejection.

Bridging pages 3 and 4, the Examiner rejects Claim 9 and 10 as obvious. While Applicants respectfully disagree for reasons of record, Applicants have canceled Claims 9 and 10 in order to advance the prosecution of this application.

Having addressed all of the outstanding objections and rejections, applicants

respectfully submit that the application is now in condition for allowance and passage thereto is earnestly requested. The Examiner is invited to contact the attorney at the telephone number provided below, if such would advance the prosecution of this case.

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FIG. 1A



Met	Leu	Ala	Arg	Ala	Leu	Leu	Leu	Cys	Ala	Val	Leu	Ala	Leu	Ser	His	1	5	10	15
Thr	Ala	Asn	Pro	Cys	Cys	Ser	His	Pro	Cys	Gln	Asn	Arg	Gly	Val	Cys	20	25	30	
Met	Ser	Val	Gly	Phe	Asp	Gln	Tyr	Lys	Cys	Asp	Cys	Thr	Arg	Thr	Gly	35	40	45	
Phe	Tyr	Gly	Glu	Asn	Cys	Ser	Thr	Pro	Glu	Phe	Leu	Thr	Arg	Ile	Lys	50	55	60	
Leu	Phe	Leu	Lys	Pro	Thr	Pro	Asn	Thr	Val	His	Tyr	Ile	Leu	Thr	His	65	70	75	80
Phe	Lys	Gly	Phe	Trp	Asn	Val	Val	Asn	Asn	Ile	Pro	Phe	Leu	Arg	Asn	85	90 90	95	
Ala	Ile	Met	Ser	Tyr	Val	Leu	Thr	Ser	Arg	Ser	His	Leu	Ile	Asp	Ser	100	105	110	
Pro	Pro	Thr	Tyr	Asn	Ala	Asp	Tyr	Gly	Tyr	Lys	Ser	Trp	Glu	Ala	Phe	115	120	125	
Ser	Asn	Leu	Ser	Tyr	Tyr	Thr	Arg	Ala	Leu	Pro	Pro	Val	Pro	Asp	Asp	130	135	140	
Cys	Pro	Thr	Pro	Leu	Gly	Val	Lys	Gly	Lys	Lys	Gln	Leu	Pro	Asp	Ser	145	150	155	160
Asn	Glu	Ile	Val	Glu	Lys	Leu	Leu	Leu	Arg	Arg	Lys	Phe	Ile	Pro	Asp	165	170	175	
Pro	Gln	Gly	Ser	Asn	Met	Met	Phe	Ala	Phe	Phe	Ala	Gln	His	Phe	Thr	180	185	190	
His	Gln	Phe	Phe	Lys	Thr	Asp	His	Lys	Arg	Gly	Pro	Ala	Phe	Thr	Asn	195	200	205	
Gly	Leu	Gly	His	Gly	Val	Asp	Leu	Asn	His	Ile	Tyr	Gly	Glu	Thr	Leu	210	215	220	
Ala	Arg	Gln	Arg	Lys	Leu	Arg	Leu	Phe	Lys	Asp	Gly	Lys	Met	Lys	Tyr	225	230	235	240
Gln	Ile	Ile	Asp	Gly	Glu	Met	Tyr	Pro	Pro	Thr	Val	Lys	Asp	Thr	Gln	245	250	255	
Ala	Glu	Met	Ile	Tyr	Pro	Pro	Gln	Val	Pro	Glu	His	Leu	Arg	Phe	Ala	260	265	270	
Val	Gly	Gln	Glu	Val	Phe	Gly	Leu	Val	Pro	Gly	Leu	Met	Met	Tyr	Ala	275	280	285	
Thr	Ile	Trp	Leu	Arg	Glu	His	Asn	Arg	Val	Cys	Asp	Val	Leu	Lys	Gln	290	295	300	

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FIG. 1B

Glu 305	His	Pro	Glu	Trp	Gly 310	Asp	Glu	Gln	Leu	Phe 315	Gln	Thr	Ser	Arg	Leu 320
Ile	Leu	Ile	Gly	Glu 325	Thr	Ile	Lys	Ile	Val 330	Ile	Glu	Asp	Tyr	Val 335	Gln
His	Leu	Ser	Gly 340	Tyr	His	Phe	Lys	Leu 345	Lys	Phe	Asp	Pro	Glu 350	Leu	Leu
Phe	Asn	Lys 355	Gln	Phe	Gln	Tyr	Gln 360	Asn	Arg	Ile	Ala 365	Ala	Glu	Phe	Asn
Thr	Leu 370	Tyr	His	Trp	His 375	Pro	Leu	Leu	Pro	Asp 380	Thr	Phe	Gln	Ile	His
Asp 385	Gln	Lys	Tyr	Asn 390	Tyr	Gln	Gln	Phe	Ile	Tyr 395	Asn	Asn	Ser	Ile	Leu 400
Leu	Glu	His	Gly	Ile 405	Thr	Gln	Phe	Val	Glu 410	Ser	Phe	Thr	Arg	Gln 415	Ile
Ala	Gly	Arg	Val 420	Ala	Gly	Gly	Arg	Asn 425	Val	Pro	Pro	Ala	Val 430	Gln	Lys
Val	Ser	Gln 435	Ala	Ser	Ile	Asp 440	Gln	Ser	Arg	Gln	Met 445	Lys	Tyr	Gln	Ser
Phe 450	Asn	Glu	Tyr	Arg	Lys 455	Arg	Phe	Met	Leu	Lys 460	Pro	Tyr	Glu	Ser	Phe
Glu 465	Glu	Leu	Thr	Gly	Glu 470	Lys	Glu	Met	Ser	Ala 475	Glu	Leu	Glu	Ala	Leu 480
Tyr	Gly	Asp	Ile	Asp 485	Ala	Val	Glu	Leu	Tyr 490	Pro	Ala	Leu	Leu	Val 495	Glu
Lys	Pro	Arg	Pro 500	Asp	Ala	Ile	Phe	Gly 505	Glu	Thr	Met	Val	Glu 510	Val	Gly
Ala	Pro	Phe 515	Ser	Leu	Lys	Gly	Leu 520	Met	Gly	Asn	Val 525	Ile	Cys	Ser	Pro
Ala	Tyr 530	Trp	Lys	Pro	Ser	Thr 535	Phe	Gly	Gly	Glu 540	Val	Gly	Phe	Gln	Ile
Ile 545	Asn	Thr	Ala	Ser	Ile 550	Gln	Ser	Leu	Ile	Cys 555	Asn	Asn	Val	Lys	Gly 560
Cys	Pro	Phe	Thr	Ser 565	Phe	Ser	Val	Pro	Asp 570	Pro	Glu	Leu	Ile	Lys 575	Thr
Val	Thr	Ile	Asn 580	Ala	Ser	Ser	Ser	Arg 585	Ser	Gly	Leu	Asp	Asp 590	Ile	Asn
Pro	Thr	Val 595	Leu	Leu	Lys	Glu 600	Arg	Ser	Thr	Glu	Leu	(SEQ ID NO: 10)			

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FIG. 2A

GTCCAGGAAC	TCCTCAGCAG	CGCCTCCTTC	AGCTCCACAG	CCAGACGCCC	TCAGACAGCA	60
AAGCCTACCC	CCGCGCCGCG	CCCTGCCCCG	CGCTGCGATG	CTCGCCCCGCG	CCCTGCTGCT	120
GTGCGCGGTC	CTGGCGCTCA	GCCATACAGC	AAATCCTTGC	TGTTCCCACC	CATGTCAAAA	180
CCGAGGTGTA	TGTATGAGTG	TGGGATTTGA	CCAGTATAAG	TGCGATTGTA	CCCGGACAGG	240
ATTCTATGGA	GAAAACTGCT	CAACACCGGA	ATTTTTGACA	AGAATAAAAT	TATTTCTGAA	300
ACCCACTCCA	AACACAGTGC	ACTACATACT	TACCCACTTC	AAGGGATTTT	GGAACGTTGT	360
GAATAACATT	CCCTTCCTTC	GAAATGCAAT	TATGAGTTAT	GTGTTGACAT	CCAGATCACA	420
TTTGATTGAC	AGTCCACCAA	CTTACAATGC	TGACTATGGC	TACAAAAGCT	GGGAAGCCTT	480
CTCTAACCTC	TCCTATTATA	CTAGAGCCCT	TCCTCCTGTG	CCTGATGATT	GCCCCACTCC	540
CTTGGGTGTC	AAAGGTAAAA	AGCAGCTTCC	TGATTCAAAT	GAGATTGTGG	AAAAATTGCT	600
TCTAAGAAGA	AAGTTCATCC	CTGATCCCCA	GGGCTCAAAC	ATGATGTTTG	CATTCTTTGC	660
CCAGCACTTC	ACGCACCAGT	TTTTCAAGAC	AGATCATAAG	CGAGGGCCAG	CTTTCACCAA	720
CGGGCTGGGC	CATGGGGTGG	ACTTAAATCA	TATTTACGGT	GAAACTCTGG	CTAGACAGCG	780
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CACAATCTGG	CTGCGGGAAC	ACAACAGAGT	ATGTGATGTG	CTTAAACAGG	AGCATCCTGA	1020
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GATTGTGATT	GAAGATTATG	TGCAACACTT	GAGTGGCTAT	CACTTCAAAC	TGAAATTTGA	1140
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GGTAGAAGTT	GGAGCACCAT	TCTCCTTGAA	AGGACTTATG	GGTAATGTTA	TATGTTCTCC	1680
TGCCTACTGG	AAGCCAAGCA	CTTTTGGTGG	AGAAGTGGGT	TTTCAAATCA	TCAACACTGC	1740

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FIG. 2B

CTCAATTCAG	TCTCTCATCT	GCAATAACGT	GAAGGGCTGT	CCCTTTACTT	CATTCAGTGT	1800
TCCAGATCCA	GAGCTCATTA	AAACAGTCAC	CATCAATGCA	AGTTCTTCCC	GCTCCGGACT	1860
AGATGATATC	AATCCCACAG	TACTACTAAA	AGAACGGTCG	ACTGAACTGT	AGAAGTCTAA	1920
TGATCATATT	TATTTATTTA	TATGAACCAT	GTCTATTAAT	TTAATTATTT	AATAATATTT	1980
ATATTAAACT	CCTTATGTTA	CTTAACATCT	TCTGTAAACAG	AAGTCAGTAC	TCCTGTTGCG	2040
GAGAAAGGAG	TCATAC TTGT	GAAGACTTTT	ATGTCACTAC	TCTAAAGATT	TTGCTGTTGC	2100
TGTTAAGTTT	GGAAAACAGT	TTTTATTTCTG	TTTTATAAAC	CAGAGAGAAA	TGAGTTTTGA	2160
CGTCTTTTTA	CTTGAATTTT	AACTTATATT	ATAAGGACGA	AAGTAAAGAT	GTTTGAATAC	2220
TTAAACACTA	TCACAAGATG	CCAAAATGCT	GAAAGTTTTT	ACACTGTCGA	TGTTTCCAAT	2280
GCATCTTCCA	TGATGCATTA	GAAGTAAC TA	ATGTTTGAAA	TTTTAAAGTA	CTTTTGGGTA	2340
TTTTTCTGTC	ATCAAACAAA	ACAGGTATCA	GTGCATTATT	AAATGAATAT	TTAAATTAGA	2400
CATTACCAGT	AATTTTCATGT	CTACTTTTTTA	AAATCAGCAA	TGAAACAATA	ATTTGAAATT	2460
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TTTCTTCTTT	TAGCCATTTT	GCTAAGAGAC	ACAGTCTTCT	CAAACACTTC	GTTTCTCCTA	3240
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